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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 5.

Halton federal election has been voided. An Indian industrial school under English church auspices will be established in Winnipeg.

A banquet given by the Toronto board of trade to Chamberlain was an immense success.

There appears to be no doubt that Royal will be appointed lieutenant-governor of the territories.

Schultz' appointment as governor of Manitoba has not yet been made but it will probably come.

Reidle, immigration agent at Langenburg, Assa., has been arrested charged with obtaining money under false pretences.

It is expected that arrangements will be made for the immigration of 1,200 crofters' families to British Columbia next season.

Gaudy and Racette, McLeish's murderers, were put on trial at Wolesley, and finally remanded until February 6th. The defence for Gaudy is insanity.

Owing to the opposition of eastern Canadian millers the operation of the new grain standards for Manitoba has been postponed until next season's crops.

There is a movement on foot to erect a monument to the late Valentine Baker. It is said the queen intended shortly to pardon him and restore him to the army.

Fuller, the man who murdered Archbishop Seghers in Alaska, has been sentenced to ten years imprisonment and a fine of \$1,000. Insanity is the excuse for leniency.

The fisheries commission resumes on Saturday. An amended proposition is to be submitted by which it is thought a solution will be reached. In the meantime the meeting of the Canadian parliament is postponed until Feb. 23rd.

Ontario municipal elections took place Monday. Interest mostly centered in Toronto where there was a big fight for the mayoralty between Clarke, M. P. P., and Elias Rogers. The former was elected by a large majority and the temperance people are considerably down cast. A by-law to reduce the number of liquor licenses was also defeated. McLeod Stewart was re-elected mayor of Ottawa.

The political situation in Manitoba is not yet cleared up and the result is doubtful. There will be close contests in the two seats now vacant. Indeed it is not certain how some present supporters of the government will go. The candidates in Assiniboia are McArthur and Ness; in St. Francois Xavier Burke and Francis. Tupper is again in the city this week en route to Washington and it is thought there is some connection between his visit and the political situation. The legislature meets on Thursday next.

The principal North-West municipal elections resulted as follows: Calgary—for mayor, A. E. Shelton, 85 majority; for councillors, J. G. Linton, Howard Douglas and J. G. McCallum. Regina—mayor, W. C. Hamilton, by 27 majority; councillors, Dawson, Howson, McCusker, Williams, Martin and Sheppard. Prince Albert—mayor, Dr. Bain; councillors, McPhail, Johnston, Knowles, Davis, Stewart and Agnew. Qu'Appelle—Thomson, B. S. Ross, Murphy, James Smith, J. F. Cotes, J. G. Milne, W. S. Redspath.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 6.

A Toronto despatch denies that Pardee will leave the Mowat ministry.

An interview will be arranged between Gladstone and Pope Leo. The former is now in Italy.

An Indian industrial school will be established in England in charge of the Church of England.

The French senatorial elections yesterday resulted in a gain of four seats by the conservatives.

Preparations are being made extensively for celebrating the silver wedding of the Prince and Princess of Wales.

Sir Charles Dilke declares that he will not re-enter public life until his honor has been fully vindicated in the courts.

Sir John Macdonald telegraphs that the appointment of lieutenant-governor of Manitoba will not be made until spring.

Abbe Chabert of Montreal, a priest who has been thrice arrested for criminally assaulting young girls, has been put in Longue Pointe asylum.

The Empress Eugenie has decided that the ceremony of removing the remains of the Emperor Napoleon III, and of the Prince Imperial from Chislehurst to Farnborough will take place next Monday and will be private. Queen Victoria will send some floral wreaths for the occasion.

Reported that Robson, provincial secretary and premier of British Columbia, will be appointed to the senate to succeed Lieut.-Governor Nelson.

Winchester City election yesterday resulted in Moss, the conservative candidate, being elected to parliament. He received 1,364 votes, his liberal opponent, Handerby, receiving 849.

Watelet, the Canadian immigration agent to Belgium writes Mr. McTavish, C. P. R. land commissioner, that he starts from there about March 15th with 500 Belgian farmers for Manitoba.

Two freight trains on the C. P. R. collided on a trestle work ninety feet high near Middleton. Eighteen cars went down and were demolished. Four train men were killed. Traffic was delayed two days.

The government has recently received positive information regarding the existence of wood buffalo in the northern part of the North-West Territories. It is possible that steps for their preservation will be adopted.

There is considerable talk about a newspaper war between the Globe and Mail and the Empire. One rumor is that the Globe and Mail will be consolidated under the editorship of James Young of Galt. Another rumor is that the Mail and Empire are to be united under the management of David Creighton with Ed. Farrar, now of the Mail, as editor in chief.

FT. PITT, Jan. 6.

Weather clear; thermometer about 10 below. Not much snow, but good sleighing.

Last Monday Mr. Angus McKay gave a big supper and ball on the occasion of the completion of a fine new residence here by the H. B. Co.; 32 set down to table.

LOCAL.

1888, don't forget.

INDIANS at Whitefish lake ask \$12 for large dressed moose skins.

FARMERS report water very low in the wells and also in the small lakes.

J. A. MITCHELL, Indian agent of Saddle lake is expected to arrive to-day.

THOS. ANDERSON, crown timber agent, is importing a full rink of curling stones.

SHIELDS & ASHEN have 300,000 feet of logs cut for Moore & Macdowell and as many more to cut.

HARVEY KEMPTON and Mr. Watkins, traveler for O'Brien & Co., were passengers on Thursday's outgoing stage.

THE weather was fine on New Year's day and the sleighing good. Calling and receiving calls were the special occupations of the day.

D. McLEOD's lumbering outfit starts for the woods to-day to take out logs for Moore & Macdowell. D. Macdonald is in charge of the party.

THOS. BURLING, W. Inglis, F. Walters, R. Minnie and B. Pilon of Ft. Saskatchewan propose to form a party for the Yukon next spring to go by way of the Mackenzie river. All have mined on this river and some on the Peace river and lake Athabasca. A party is also likely to leave Edmonton for the same region, probably by way of Victoria.

THREE passengers by Monday's stage. Insp. Piercy of Ft. Saskatchewan, Mr. Watkins, traveller for O'Brien & Co., and Master Brown from Kootenai for St. Albert. Two teams were used, one on runners and one on wheels. There was sleighing all the way from Calgary, but wheeling was equally good. Freight is leaving Calgary on sleighs.

There is a question of veracity between Sir John A. Macdonald and Hon. A. A. C. Lariviere. Lariviere says that Sir John personally authorized him to hand over the provincial bonds to the H. B. railway contractors with the assurance that the land grant would be made over to the province at the proper time. Sir John entirely denies having done so. If after this Sir John provides for Lariviere it will be fair proof that he, not Lariviere, is the liar.

A LETTER has been received from Ft. Saskatchewan, marked for publication, complaining that owing to the way in which the late examination of the Protestant public school there was conducted the public were not enabled to judge of the progress made by the pupils. The writer says that in dealing with the little ones the teacher read off the tablet and all joined in repeating what she said. With the elder ones the teacher would ask a question and all would shout the answer together. A few tried to point out places on the map, but looked for others to show them. Only one trustee was present and he did not attempt to make the examination more thorough.

TO-MORROW there will be no Church of England service at All Saints', or the public school house.

THE Manitoba North-Western railway company are applying to parliament to be allowed to complete their railway at the rate of 20 miles a year.

C. STEVENS is drifting at Rusty bar in two feet of pay dirt which prospects from two to ten cents to the pan. The dirt is piled on the bar until the weather becomes warm enough to allow of the gold being washed out of it.

INDIANS at Lake St. Ann are very hard up. Complaint is made that the Indian department is very slow in forwarding the amount of flour needed for the relief of the destitute promised in the fall. The fishery last fall was a partial failure owing to unfavorable weather, although there were plenty of fish of good size and quality. A better catch was made at Whitefish lake, south of Lake St. Ann. Whooping cough is prevalent at the lake and there have been four or five deaths from that cause among the children.

The following notice is being sent by the department of the interior to all settlers whose pre-emptions fall due on the 31st December:—"Public notice is hereby given that the circular recently issued by this department requiring the payment on or before the 31st December, instant, of arrears of the principal and interest due upon pre-emptions, does not effect in any way the cases of persons who are complying, or who propose to comply, with the requirements of the order-in-council of the 7th July 1886, and the 25th April, 1887, and are therefore entitled to pay for their pre-emption in three annual instalments without interest if they continue to reside upon their homesteads during the period to which the extension of time for payment applies, and to cultivate and crop not less than forty acres of their homesteads or pre-emptions, or both. John R. Hall, department of the interior, Ottawa, 3rd Dec., 1887."

The North-West Territories Gazette of Dec. 9th contains the appointment of Geo. Parke as sheriff of East Assiniboia pending the appointment by the federal government of a successor to Charles Marshall. Also the appointments to the board of education: Protestant section—Bishop Pinkham, Judge Wetmore, Rev. A. B. Baird, Rev. John McLean and John Secord. Roman Catholic section—Judge Rouleau, Rev. H. Leduc and A. E. Forget. Secretary, James Brown. Also the appointment of Insp. W. Percy of the N. W. M. P. to be a justice of the peace. Also the appointment of Alex. Taylor registration clerk for the registration district of Edmonton under ordinance No. 7 of '87. Also the enrollment of J. U. Prieur as an advocate on Nov. 29th. Also the resignation of Samuel Cunningham of St. Albert from being a justice of the peace. Also notice of the erection of the 108th Protestant and 16th Roman Catholic public school districts R. C. Drummond of London, England; D. W. Davis of Ft. MacLeod; W. T. Ramsey and E. P. Davis of Calgary apply for incorporation by letters patent as the "Bow River water works company."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, JAN. 7, 1888.

REPORTED in Minneapolis that the C. P. R. is about to extend a branch from some point in British Columbia to Seattle, Washington Territory in order to compete with the Northern Pacific at its terminus. If this is true there is hope for the Red River Valley line yet.

The Hamilton Spectator says the assertion that it is an organ of the federal government is a "foolish old charge." People in Manitoba and the North-West who have been pleasing themselves lately with the idea that the Spectator's article touching a compromise on the Red River Valley railway question indicated that the C. P. R. government was willing to come to terms will do well to make a note of this.

A RAILROAD is being built partly within the Arctic circle in Sweden and Norway by a British company to develop certain iron mines there. The road is twelve hundred miles further north than any railroad in Canada. This proves first that the mineral resources in Canada's far north are within reach of development, and, second that British enterprise and British capital will not be deterred from undertaking their development when altered circumstances favor the attempt.

The discussion of commercial union has caused a large amount of figuring as to the progress of Canada compared with that of the United States. The figures show that in 1860, Maine had a population of 628,279 and the Maritime provinces 582,940. In 1880 Maine had 655,446, and the Maritime provinces 761,714, having increased 178,774 against Maine's 26,167. In 1830 all the New England States had a population of 1,953,717 against 1,065,215 in the provinces now forming eastern Canada. In 1880 these States had 4,110,026 against 5,141,424 in eastern Canada. An increase in the States of 2,056,308, and in Canada of 3,076,209.

The Regina Journal says that of the five thousand persons whose signatures a certain homestead inspector had to obtain in the North-West only ten were obliged to make their mark. It says: "And yet these are the people to whom the Qu'Appelle Vidette objects to giving manhood suffrage." Not at all. These are the men whose intelligent responsible votes would under manhood suffrage be liable to be swamped by men who did not have sufficient interest in the country to bring them in contact with the homestead inspector. The men who own the land are the men who pay the bulk of both direct and indirect taxes and whose property is the security for all public debts contracted. Their votes should not be swamped by those of men who pay but little taxes and who own no security.

It is to be sincerely hoped that the new Manitoba government, which is the old Norquay government as much as ever, will not survive the meeting of the legislature many days. Not that Mr. Norquay and his colleagues are much worse than thousands of greater and lesser politicians the world over, but because they are so like so many thousands of others. Their acts have been grounded on the belief that the sole duty of a government is not to govern for the good of the governed, but to govern so as to retain office. To this end the provincial revenues have been squandered, and to this end legislation has been shaped. The time may have been when such a method of government could be carried on without more serious injury to the country than the unprofitable dissipation of its income and the disarrangement of business caused by partial legislation. But if such a time ever was, it is not now. The affairs of the Canadian North-West have reached a crisis when to avoid sliding backward a long leap forward must be taken. The right of the country to competing railways must be established. On this point, after making the fairest promises, Mr. Norquay has hesitated, he has humbugged, he has played the hypocrite and the traitor. The proper time for making the leap has been allowed to pass. The retrograde movement has begun. What Mr. Norquay could have done easily six months ago had he been so minded neither he nor the government which remains in power can do to-day to save their souls. If anything can be done to retrieve the loss it must be by men who have the public confidence as Norquay and his government have not. Precious time and more precious opportunity have been lost by trusting to Norquay. Care should be taken that what remains of both shall not be wasted in the same way.

A NEW LEADER.

The report appearing in last week's telegrams that the present premier of Ontario is to become leader of the reform party in federal politics is not unlikely to be true. The leader of the opposition is under certain circumstances the most important personage in the politics of the country next to the premier. Although he does not actually hold the helm of the ship of state he can do much according to his ability and inclination and the strength of his party to direct its course. He it is who gives that efficient check to the exercise of absolute or unwarranted power by the executive which is a distinctive feature of responsible government. A strong opposition with a sterling leader is almost as safe a guarantee of good government as the character or policy of the ministry. Under such circumstances the selection of the opposition leader is a matter of the deepest interest to every citizen. Although the present leader is a man of rare ability as a speaker it is said that neither his health nor his inclination permit him to retain the position. Nor can there be any doubt that the extreme course taken by him on the Riel question, however creditable to a friend of the oppressed and unfortunate or however ably defended by his public addresses, is not agreeable to what a large portion of those who are classed as reformers hold to be the true interests of the country, or indeed in accordance with simple justice. In order to make his weight and that of his party felt in legislation the leader of the opposition must be, with all his other abilities, energetic. This Mr. Laurier is not, and considering his age and other circumstances it is doubtful if Mr. Mowat will be. That Mr. Mowat has handled for so many years so successfully the government of that half of the population and wealth of the whole country contained in the province of Ontario is very much in his favor—the more so as he has succeeded in keeping a wonderfully clean personal record—and will give him the prestige necessary to secure a following among all ranks and classes of liberals; a prestige which other leading members of the party lack. In defending the position which he and his party have held in the government of Ontario for so many years and in defending the rights of the province from federal encroachment Mr. Mowat has been an unqualified success. But because he has been so good on the defence is no proof that he will be equally good on the attack, such as will necessarily fall to his lot to lead. Indeed as far as his experience of the past ten or fifteen years has gone it would tend to unlearn for him what he at one time may have known of the best methods of successful attack. It cannot be forgotten that the questions of policy coming before the federal house are different from those coming before the provincial legislature, but from his course as premier of Ontario it may fairly be taken for granted that in federal politics he would support provincial rights and a clean administration of public affairs. Besides, he has proven himself to be a man of thoroughly sound judgement, unswerving loyalty, and one whose word—although given slowly—when given can be depended upon. That he would make as good a premier of Canada as he has of Ontario there is no doubt, but unfortunately the premiership is not at his acceptance. To attain that position a line of policy in national affairs must be laid down far beyond what can be conjectured from Mr. Mowat's past career, such as will commend itself to the majority of the people. What that policy may be can only be determined by experiment, which a man at Mr. Mowat's time of life cannot make in the reasonable hope of reaping the reward of success himself. But Mr. Mowat's greatest drawback is not his age, for with age he has experience, nor the ability of his opponents, for he too has ability, nor in the fact that the party has no policy ready for him to adopt, for that gives him the liberty to frame a policy according to his own level-headed ideas; but in those who will in the nature of things be his lieutenants. They do not lack either in numbers or ability, but they do lack most woefully in judgment and in political prestige. Had it not been so Mr. Mowat would not have had to be called on. These men were all a power in the land under the effective leadership of

George Brown. Since his death their abilities have kept them in their positions as leading politicians but they have lost that touch with the people necessary for those who would lead in the cause of reform. In their devotion to party they have at times allowed the taint of disloyalty in a sense to be fastened on them. At other times they have by their course permitted the belief that they were willing to sacrifice party principles for the promise of party success. They may not have been actually guilty in these matters but if not they committed the blunder that was as damaging as guilt in allowing the idea that they were guilty to spread. To say the least they have underrated the country and miscalculated its national sentiment. In short the country has outgrown them. The consequence is that instead of all those who wish to see the evil that is replaced by the good that is to be looking to them for counsel and according them support an increasing number choose to rely upon their own judgment rather than follow what they know to be blind, and many believe to be treacherous, guides. Under these circumstances instead of Mr. Mowat being able to look to his lieutenants as supports his reputation and ability and the policy that he outlines must be depended upon to inspire public confidence in them.

Were the government party and the government policy anything but what they are Mr. Mowat would indeed be assuming the leadership of a forlorn hope. But if the leaders of the reform party are discredited, if the country has outgrown them, so are the leaders of the conservative party discredited and so has the country as far outgrown them. Of all the golden promises made by that party in '78, '82, and again in '87 not one has been fulfilled. Not one but has fallen a dead weight on the country instead of helping it forward. As the years go by they prove more and more clearly that the progress of the country is due to the industry, thrift and enterprise of its people, and not to those patent devices for enriching the few at the expense of the many which form the total stock in trade—barring lip loyalty—of the conservative party under its present leaders. The country is fast ripening for a change in political matters, as the commercial union agitation proves. Should Mr. Mowat assume the leadership of the reform party it will rest greatly with him whether this desire and need of change shall be given a direction to the benefit of the country and the upbuilding of a strong, and prosperous nation, or whether it shall be allowed to tear the national fabric to pieces. The party name—of either party—is not a power to conjure by now. Mr. Mowat's weight in federal politics and his ultimate position will be decided not by his present reform friends or conservative opponents, but by the policy which he adopts and the vigor with which he carries it out drawing to or repelling from him the younger generation of Canadians whose ideas of Canadian politics and policies are on a very much higher level than either of the present parties have yet risen to.

A LONDON telegram dated Dec. 7th says: "Bills to the amount of £40,000, drawn by the late Gen. Gordon during the siege of Khartoum, have been dishonored by the government, which obtained a decision from the Cairo mixed tribunal in their favor. The holders of the bills have commenced action against the private estate of Gen. Gordon for payment." The Gladstone government fell short by a hair's breadth of saving Gordon, and the tory party succeeded in climbing to power by using his body as a stepping stone. The honor of Britain had been tarnished by the failure to relieve Gordon and they demanded that that honor be placed for safe keeping in their hands. The same men having attained office now hold the honor of the empire dear at £40,000, and allow the little property left by the hero, the sole provision of his sisters, his only relatives, to be seized for the debts contracted by him in the nation's name when engaged in the work whose failure they most vociferously deplored. Not long ago the representatives of this same government would have paid the Egyptian soldiers who actually betrayed Gordon had not a representative of the French government refused to assent to so infamous a transaction. In view of such things as these it is to the credit of Britain that the tory party can only attain power when its opponents are divided and can only retain it as long as they remain so.

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POLICE COURT.

Police court Edmonton 4th January, 1888. Before Insp. Casey and M. McCauley, J. P's. Joseph Miron was charged with an assault upon Margaret McKenny on the early morning of 1st inst. He elected to be tried under "The summary trials act" and pleaded guilty. He was fined \$10 and \$7.50 costs. These were paid.

Frank Nutt was charged with an assault on the same person on the same morning. He also elected to be tried summarily but pleaded "Not guilty." After the examination of Joseph Miron, the prosecutrix and Pierre Goudry Papan as witnesses for the prosecution (there being no witnesses for the defence) the accused was fined \$10 and \$7.50 costs, or in default of payment in three months one month's imprisonment.

Nutt was also charged with an assault, committed the same morning, on Catherine Papan whereby she was seriously injured in the face. In this case he also elected to be tried summarily and pleaded "Not guilty." The witnesses in the former case and in addition Sophia Papan were examined for the prosecution and the accused was found guilty and sentenced to two month's imprisonment at hard labor. He was taken to Ft. Saskatchewan on Thursday.

Edward Williams was charged with having upon his person a pistol without reasonable cause to fear an assault or other injury to his person or his family or property. He pleaded not guilty. After the examination of Sergeant Davidson, Constables Telford, Humphreys and Macdonald he was found guilty and was required to find two sureties, each for \$100, to keep the peace for six months. In default of finding these sureties he was sentenced to ten days imprisonment and was taken to Ft. Saskatchewan on Thursday. The revolver, valued at \$30, found upon him was impounded, and as the offence was not in a municipality will be handed over to the lieutenant-governor.

Robt. Strachan appeared for the crown in all cases.

ONION LAKE.

Last summer in July last a school was started on the Onion Lake reserve. No school house being in readiness one of the Indian buildings was temporarily used as such. The attendance at first was very small, the adults not seeming to know the importance of education and did not show much interest in their children's progress in this respect. But as the pupils attending showed signs of marked progress those previously holding back showed their interest by sending all their children, or as many as it was possible to spare. After getting through with their farm work they joined and built a new school house in the most central place on the reserve, which they completed on the 23rd November last. The school was opened in the new building and to day the average attendance is from 25 to 30 children. Christmas being near the teacher proposed giving his pupils a dinner and a few prizes before their holidays began, as an inducement to renew their studies after the holidays. For this purpose Mr. D. D. McDonald, the government school teacher, collected by subscription from the white people at Onion Lake and Ft. Pitt an amount sufficient to carry out his plans. All asked readily and kindly contributed towards it. The prizes and other necessities for the dinner were procured. The distribution of prizes and the dinner took place in the school house on the 23rd inst. Among the gentlemen present were the Indian agent, Mr. Geo. Mann, Rev. Fathers Merer and Dauphin, Sergt. Hall of the N. W. M. P., and other members of the force. The Indian agent, Rev. Father Merer and others addressed the children in very appropriate terms, and after announcing to them the period of their allotted holidays they were dismissed, as happy as their little hearts could be. All present were unanimous in pronouncing the affair to have been truly successful. Mr. D. D. McDonald, the teacher of the school, was educated at St. John's college, Winnipeg, by the C. M. S. and after serving a term as Indian mission school teacher in the Cumberland district was removed to Emmanuel college, Prince Albert where he studied for one year before coming to Onion Lake to take charge of the school there, which he has since conducted very successfully.

Dec. 27, '87.

A telegram to the Free Press of Dec. 26th says: "The whole Manitoba railway difficulty has been settled. Sir John Macdonald insists that the new Harrison government of Manitoba shall abandon the railway to the boundary as the only condition upon which he will agree to appoint Norquay and Lariviere to Dominion offices, and so anxious is Harrison to get these men out of the legislature that he has agreed to these terms. It is believed that the deal by which Harrison has agreed to abandon the construction of the Red River Valley railway was negotiated by Sir Chas. Tupper during his stay in Winnipeg. Since his return to Ottawa Sir Charles has induced Sir John Macdonald to promise Norquay an office, but no provisions have as yet been made for Lariviere."

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A choice variety of Dress Goods, Plushes, Plumes, Velvets, Ulsters, Fur Capes, Jerseys, Clouds, Shawls, Hoods, Beaded Dress Ornaments and Trimmings, Silk Lace and Fringe, Dress Buttons, Silk, Satin and Velvet Ribbons, Sash Ribbons, Frillings, White Kid Gloves and Mitts, Artificial Flowers, Plumes, Hat Pins, Etc., Etc.

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Goods are being sold very cheap. Cash Only, or Fur, Oats, Butter or Eggs.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has this day been pleased to order that Sittings of the Supreme Court of the North-West Territories, for the Judicial District of Northern Alberta shall be held within the said District at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the days and at the places following, namely:—

Calgary:—The second Tuesday in April, July and November in each and every year.

Edmonton:—The second Monday in May and October in each and every year.

By Command,

A. E. FORGET,

Secretary.

Lieutenant-Governor's Office, Regina, N. W. T., 12th December, 1887.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of Alexander McKinlay late of the east half (4) of section thirty-five (35) township fifty-two (52) range twenty-five (25) west of the fourth (4th) principal meridian in the North-West Territories, farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 24th August, 1887, are hereby required to send or deliver to the undersigned Daniel McKinlay, Edmonton, P.O. the administrator (duly appointed) of the said estate, on or before the 19th day of January, 1888, a statement in writing of their names and addresses and the full particulars of their claims and demands and of the securities (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby further given that after the date last aforesaid the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have had notice, and the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims he shall not have had notice.

DANIEL MCKINLAY,

Administrator.

Edmonton, Alberta, 16th November, 1887.

ROYAL MAIL AND STAGE LINE

making weekly trips between Calgary and Edmonton. Leaves Calgary every Thursday morning, making close connection with the train which leaves Winnipeg on the preceding Monday morning, and arrives at Edmonton on the following Monday evening. Leaves Edmonton on Thursday morning and arrives at Calgary on the following Monday. Passage \$25; 50 lbs. baggage free. Express matter addressed in care of the undersigned will be forwarded without delay, and the advance charges paid by us. Rates, 10 cts. a pound from Calgary. LEESON & SCOTT, mail contractors, Calgary.

SUDDEN DEATH.

On Saturday afternoon last John Fraser of the lower settlement had occasion to visit the house of Jas. Gille, on the bank of the Second Rat creek, about four miles north of town. Knocking at the door he got no answer. As it was not locked he opened it and entering saw the owner of the dwelling lying on the bed apparently asleep. On approaching still closer to awaken him Mr. Fraser saw that he was dead. He had all his clothes, except his hat and coat, on and was lying partly on his side, one hand under his head and his legs crossed. The hands and face were cold but the body still retained some warmth. The fire in the stove was out but it was not altogether cold. It was plain that he had been about that morning and had not been dead more than a few hours. He had passed away painlessly while lying at rest on his bed. Mr. Fraser at once informed the neighbors and very shortly the police. Insp. Casey sent down men and a team and brought the body to the barracks at Edmonton leaving a man in charge of the place. The body was examined by Dr. Tulloch, and as he was satisfied that death had resulted from natural causes the coroner, W. Anderson, did not deem an inquest necessary. Deceased was a Roman Catholic, and in accordance with the wishes of the clergy of that church, the body was sent to St. Albert for burial on Monday. Deceased was an Irishman and had served for some years in the Irish constabulary. He had also served one or two terms in the mounted police and held the rank of sergeant when he left the force. He came over from MacLeod and settled here about '80, taking up the farm where he resided until his death, and for which he had the patent. He also held the patent for a claim in Manitoba. He was unmarried and lived alone, but not far from neighbors. He was a very quiet man and was well liked by every one. He had been complaining of an occasional pain in the chest most of the summer, but otherwise he was in good health when he was in town on the day before his death. As far as has appeared yet he left no will and nothing is known of his relations. His stock and place has been taken charge of by the police authorities until it can be handed over to an administrator.

THE Winnipeg Call has found out that half the land in the Canadian North-West, the odd sections, is reserved from settlement. It has further discovered that this reservation of alternate sections is a great drawback to settlement and a great evil. It has taken the Call a long time to find out what every one else in the North-West has known to their cost for quite a number of years. But, better late than never. The Call—or Gail—proposes as its plan that they be thrown open for settlement. To which a hearty assent should be given. The Free Press commenting sees in this proposal a hint that the government proposes to buy from railways and speculators the lands granted them—and opposes it, while supporting the purchase from the C. P. R. of the monopoly privileges which have been unjustly accorded it in old Manitoba. Leaving out of consideration the odd sections granted to companies and private individuals a very large area of the country remains in which no one has any claim on the odd sections and which are still held closed from settlement. There is surely nothing to hinder such lands being thrown open for settlement at once. Regarding the lands granted to railway and other companies the BULLETIN had the honor some years ago to propose a scheme which would tend to make closer settlement on such lands and would not involve purchase by the government. Instead of the companies taking their lands in alternate sections—or still worse in alternate townships—let them take it in alternate quarter sections. Let the remaining quarter sections belonging to the government be offered as free homesteads to settlers, and fixed and fair pre-emption privileges be accorded those settlers, when they desire, on the adjoining quarter sections of railway or company land. By this method close settlement would be permitted without the payment of any money by the government, and the railway companies would sell their land much faster than they do now. If there had to be a choice between buying up the railway land and buying out the railway monopoly the BULLETIN would give its vote in favor of buying out the land—and then "busting" the monopoly.

The holiday number of "Wide Awake," a children's monthly published by D. Lothrop & Co. of Boston, has been received. It has 100 beautifully printed pages, very fine illustrations, and many interesting children's stories by able writers. The tone of the magazine is pure and elevating, and while it is specially attractive to children their elders can find both pleasure and useful information in its pages. The price is 20c a number or \$2.40 a year.

The Calgary Herald declares that the people of Alberta desire full-fledged responsible territorial government.

GENERAL.

A blizzard raged in Dakota on December 20th.

A severe blizzard prevailed in Minnesota and Dakota on Dec. 21st.

Calgary is thinking of exempting Cushing's planing mill from taxation.

The Great Eastern has been sold for £10, 100 to be broken up as old metal.

An earthquake is shaking up a section of Arizona, assisted by the Apaches.

Scarlet fever in a malignant form has broken out in Meadow Lea, Manitoba.

A policeman at Glichen was recently dismissed from the force for stealing cigars.

A cattle thief named George Green was lynched lately near Glemington Dakota.

The Canadian ocean mail contract has been awarded to the Orient line owned by Anderson & Co.

G. C. King, A. E. Shelton and Geo. Murdoch were candidates for the Calgary mayoralty.

The Calgary Tribune alludes editorially to financial stringency in that locality. It expects better times in the spring.

Mann & Holt have secured judgment against the Winnipeg & Hudson's Bay railway company for \$71,391 for work done.

Eight persons were frozen to death in the cars during a cold snap of last month while passing through the Pan Handle of Texas.

The applications to parliament for charters of North-West schemes of various kinds show a great falling off compared with other seasons.

The last Canada Gazette reserves an island in Harrison lake, near Harrison hot springs, B. C., from sale and settlement until further notice.

The Call says Mr. Royal has not been appointed lieutenant-governor of the North-West. There will be no appointment until spring.

Archbishop Fabre has instructed all Roman Catholics in his diocese to offer up prayers for the restoration of the temporal power to the pope.

Blaine of Maine, speaking of President Cleveland's late message says: "To cheapen the price of whiskey is to increase the consumption enormously."

Foreigners, chiefly Englishmen and English companies, own over 20,000,000 acres of land in the States in quantities ranging from four and a half million to fifty thousand acres.

The report that the Rosebud ranche on the Red Deer river is to be stocked in spring is given again by the Calgary Tribune. J. Ick Evans of Toronto is visiting the ranche in the interests of the company.

The last Canada Gazette contains an announcement regarding the reduction of the size of mountain parks by substituting "square miles" for "miles square" in the description of the reserves made.

At the caucus of government members of the Manitoba legislature at which the resignations of Norquay and Lariviere were decided on only sixteen were present, Alexander, Leacock, Brown and speaker Glass were absent.

East Northumberland, Ont., returned Cochrane, conservative, over Mallory, commercial unionist, by a majority of 20. Mallory was returned last spring as a reformer by a majority of 12 over Cochrane, but was unseated.

The highest price received for Canadian cattle exported to Britain during the past season was an average of sixpence a pound. In October and November it was fourpence halfpenny, the lowest figure ever known in the trade.

A Regina telegram to the Free Press says Christmas day in that town was cold and stormy. Whiskey flowed in town and several free fights occurred. Upwards of one hundred gallons came in during the week on permit.

"The Strange Adventures of a House Boat," an illustrated serial by William Black will commence in the Illustrated London News, the leading illustrated paper of the world, on Jan. 7th. Subscribe for the American edition; only \$4 a year.

A sub-committee of the Protestant section of the North-West board of education has been appointed to revise the books now in use in schools, consisting of Bishop Pinkham, Revs. Baird and McLean, the committee to report at an adjourned meeting on January 25th.

Prince Albert recently held an indignation meeting to protest against the statements in his official report and the actions of Supt. Perry in command of the police force at that place and to demand his removal. The meeting objected to the police being allowed to use the right of search as they are in the habit of doing there. The last resolution of the meeting was in favor of submitting the sale of spirituous liquors in the territories to a manhood vote of the people of the territories.

The Manitoba Free Press has issued a splendid colored calendar for the current year. As a beautiful piece of work of elegant design and excellent execution it is hard to beat. It is entirely the work of the Free Press lithographic department and would be a credit to London, New York or Chicago. The Press also issued a Christmas number of twenty pages. The Press is far and away the best newspaper published in the Canadian North-West, and indeed taken all around the most creditable news paper published in Canada, if not the very best.

BIRTH.

YOUNG.—At Edmonton on 2nd January, the wife of Harrison Young of the Hudson's Bay Co. of a son.

MARRIAGE.

ORTE—TOANE.—At Ft. Saskatchewan, Dec. 28th, by the Rev. Canon Newton, Mr. Lester Orte to Miss Jennie Maud Toane; both of Ft. Saskatchewan.

METEOROLOGICAL.

Weather report for week ending Saturday morning, January 7th, 1888. Reported for the BULLETIN by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton.

	Max.	Min.
Sunday,	—6	—27
Monday,	—11	—21
Tuesday,	—11	—19
Wednesday,	—10	—27
Thursday,	—14	—29
Friday,	—4	—33
Saturday,	—4	—15

Barometer rising, 27.639.

CITY SKATING RINK.

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FRASER AVENUE, ADJOINING LAUDER'S BAKERY.
Open every Tuesday night, Thursday afternoon and night, and Saturday afternoon and night.
Skating guaranteed all winter. Comfortable cloak room with attendant.
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MARRIAGE LICENSES may be obtained at THE HERMITAGE.

NOTICE.

Dr. Wilson will attend to Dr. McInnis' practice during his absence.

LOST.

Between 4 and 6 o'clock Saturday evening in Edmonton a large brown paper parcel containing dry goods. Finder is requested to leave it at the BULLETIN office.

ESTRAY.

A small yearling steer spotted red and white, indistinct brand on left hip. Owner can hear of its whereabouts by enquiring at this office and paying for this advertisement.

FARM FOR SALE. Mile and a half from Edmonton, south side, 25 acres under cultivation. House, outbuildings and spring creek on the place. For particulars apply to D. MCKINLAY, Edmonton, P. O.

ESTRAY BULL.

Came on my premises, South Side, about Dec. 5th a yearling bull, red and white, no brand. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take him away.
WM. STEPHENS.

SASKATCHEWAN ROMAN CATHOLIC PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2.

Notice is hereby given that all unpaid taxes due the above district must be paid to the treasurer on or before Feb. 1st, 1888, or action to recover as provided by law will be taken.

T. LAMOREUX,

Treasurer.

TENDERS.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees of Belmont School District for the work of assessing the district during current school year. Each tender should be endorsed "Tender for assessing," and must be handed in not later than eleven o'clock, a.m., on Saturday, Jan. 21st, 1888. Particulars on application. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The Board will meet in the Belmont school house on Jan. 21st, and those ratepayers who are interested in this or other school matters should attend.

By order,

JAMES B. STEELE,

Sec'y of Board.

Belmont, Dec. 31, 1887.

BANKING.

LAFFERTY & SMITH,
BANKERS AND FINANCIAL AGENTS.
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AVOCATS, SOLLICITEURS, ETC.,
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ROYAL HOTEL, REILLY & MARTIN, Proprietors. The Royal still continues to be the leading hotel in Calgary and no expense or pains on the part of the proprietors will be spared to keep it so. Table First-Class. Public patronage respectfully solicited.

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